THEIR RELATIONS NOT YET STRAINED TO THE WAR POINT.

Reports of Landing of Troops and Declaration of Hostilities Discredited in Europe.

DENIED

MA-SAN-PHO PROBABLY NOT OCCU-PIED BY THE JAPANESE.

Russians, However, Are Hurrying Soldiers to Korea, Which May Be a

Battle Ground Some Day.

ROME NOT GOING TO

POSTPONEMENT OF VISIT MAY BE DUE TO FAR-EAST SITUATION.

Japanese Ministers at Various Capitals of Opinion Affairs Are Not So Critical as Reported.

on a Shanghai cablegram, that Japan had occupied Ma-San-Pho, a Russian settlement in Korea, and that war might be declared any time. The rumors are discredited, and it is safe to say there has been no clash of

Inquiries in Japanese banking, shipping and commercial houses in London have elicited expressions of disbelief in the outbreak of war. M. Kurino, the Japanese lowed him all the way to the station trying minister at Paris, says the source of the Berlin dispatch is suspicious, as Shanghai is notoriously the originating point of bogus CAR news. He personally has not received any confirmation of the report. He continued: "Moreover, my government's last communications were wholly pacific. For the pres- PECULIAR ACCIDENT IN SWITCHent, at least, our diplomatic relations with Russia are cordial, and no tension exists between the two governments, whatever certain foreign newspapers may say. I am inclined to think the dispatch was a specu- | Collision on a Crossing Results in the

lative maneuver." A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Kobe Oct. 12, reports that the situation is somewhat easier, but that the tone of the press is distinctly bellicose, while the same paper's correspondent at Geneva says that several Russian officers there have been suddenly recalled to join their regiments. war preparations, etc., and the newspapers, which are intensely interested in the developments, owing to the Anglo-Japanese alliance, are already publishing maps and estimates of the naval and military forces of the prospective belligerents, and editoriai-

tzing on the possibilities of the situation. It is noteworthy that the King has just approved the appointment of Vice Admiral Sir Gerard Noel as commander-in-chief in crossing when the Missouri Pacific train China. Vice Admiral Noel is an officer of great energy and decision. It was he who car fell over on a crowd of men on the other cleaned the Turkish troops out of Crete side of the 'Frisco train, who were waiting pecause of an insult to the British flag.

postponement of the Czar's visit to Rome, but it is believed that he momentarily lost "owing to circumstances over which he has | control of his engine. R. G. Braht, who was so control," is interpreted in some quarters | injured, was the engineer of another Misto mean that the threatening outlook in far Eastern affairs calls for the Emperor's | had left his engine and joined the other railpresence in Russia.

Russia Transporting Troops.

YOKOHAMA, Oct. 12.-The announcement by M. Lessar, the Russian minister received here with ridicule.

Russian warship and a transport with 500 troops left Port Arthur Oct. 4 for Korea. ONI V ONE GDEAT DEDII Sixty Japanese civilians left Port Arthur VILI VIL UNLAI FEKIL seeking to extradite as an escaped criminal, Dct. 10 for Nagasaki.

The Russian forces at New-Chwang are reported to have been increased. General Kodama, the Japanese home

ninister, has been appointed chief assistant to the military staff. The premier will issume General Kodama's portfolio. The premier and the ministers for war,

tavy and foreign affairs had a simultaneous audience of the Emperor to-day. Baron Con Rosen, the Russian minister. and Baron Komura, the Japanese foreign ninister, have not yet had a conference.

MR. TAKAHIRA'S STATEMENT.

He Does Not Think the Situation Is

Critical as Represented. WASHINGTON, Oct. 12 .- Aside from exensive military preparations by both nafons, the Japan legation here is not advised that either Russia or Japan has as et committed any act of war. The Japanwe minister is being constantly advised by abjegram from Tokio of the situation, and ealizing its gravity he is moving with great caution. The negotiations between Russia and Japan, according to his adices, are still in progress and there is tope of a diplomatic settlement of the mestion at issue. The minister to-day au-

horized the following statement: "His attention having been called to ertain unauthorized statement attributed o him that the public utterances of he apanese people are all in favor of war vith Russia, Mr. Kogoro Takahira, the apanese minister, states that while there some disquiet due to the unsettled state f affairs which has existed so long in the ar East, it seems that it has been aggranors regarding military and naval movehey know the matter has been for some egotiating with a view to arriving at an art Mr. Takahira said he hoped for the est because the situation is not without dication so far that the Russian governent is candidly disposed for a settlement f the question with Japan, and therefore o long as the negotiations are proceeding rable to Japan there is no reason to be veranxious now

"This is," said the minister, "all I can ay at this moment The representatives of this government sed the State Department ecent developments and rumors of war ver Manchuria. As has often been pointed ut the United States has no cause of rotest because Russia has failed to keep er pledges that she would evacuate Mann Oct. 8. The interest of the nited States in Manchuris is covered by he recent treaty between China and this

SAYS SHE IS INNOCENT.

Mrs. Johnston Wants Officials of Playing Card Company to Testify.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12 .- Motion was made in the Court of General Sessions to-day on behalf of Mrs. Marie Layton Johnston, who is indicted on charges of larceny and forgery by which she is alleged to have secured thousands of dollars from the United States Playing Card Company, of Cincinnati, to have John Omwake, president of the company, of Cincinnati, Robert H. Mc-Cutcheon, the secretary and general manager, of Plainfield, N. J., and Frank B. Jamison, of Cincinnati, placed under bonds as witnesses so that the defense may be able to have them testify when the trial is held. Mrs. Johnston's counsel presented an affidavit by her declaring that all the papers and evidence necessary to prove her innocence are in the hands of the company. Assistant District Attorney Sanford promised that the three men would be present at the trial. The court made no ruling. Demur-rers to the indictment were also filed.

WANTED TO LYNCH HIM

GIRL'S ALLEGED ASSAILANT ROUGH-LY HANDLED BY A CROWD.

Arthur Warren's Life Barely Saved by Policemen, Who Dragged Him Into a Store and Barred the Doors.

CHICAGO, Oct. 12.-Arthur Warren, a young man living in the suburb of Berwyn, twelve miles from the city, had a narrow escape from lynching to-night and but for the efforts of two police officers it is possibile he would have been hung to a telegraph pole. Warren was accused of assaulting an eight-year-old girl. Acts of this kind have LONDON, Oct. 13 .- There has been no occurred several times in Berwyn within confirmation of the reports circulated at the last formight and the crowd that pursued Warren was highly exasperated. He Berlin yesterday, said to have been based led them a chase of about a mile before he was caught and during the run the excite-

ment of the crowd had increased. When Warren was captured he was handled very roughly and a proposition to lynch him met with approval. Two police officers, however, managed to get him away from the crowd and drag him into a grocery store, where they barred the door until assistance arrived from the police station. Warren, who was a badly used up man and required surgical attendance, was finally placed in a cell, although the crowd folto get at him.

YARDS AT KANSAS CITY.

Death of Three Men and the Injury of Three Others.

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 12 .- Three men were killed and three others injured, one seriously, in a collision between Missouri Pacific and Other special dispatches describe Russian | Frisco freight trains in the switch yards at St. Louis avenue and Santa Fe street, in this city, to-night.

> Killed-A. L. Johnson, Missouri Pacific switchman; John Murphy, Missouri Pacific switchman; George Kirkpatrick, flagman. Injured-William Austin, negro, compound fracture of leg, which will be amputated; R. G. Braht, Missouri Pacific engineer, rib broken; J. E. Ward, severely bruised.

The 'Frisco train was standing on the rap into it, turning over a freight car. This for the 'Frisco train to pass. The engineer got a signal to proceed across the crossing. souri Pacific freight, which was waiting for the 'Frisco train to clear the crossing. road men near the 'Frisco train, when the car was pitched upon them. Several men

had narrow escapes. Three men were seriously hurt while watching the wrecking crew work. Nicholas Mathias, a Wabash engineer, and Theodore Busch, a Wabash fireman, both of to China, that the Manchuria convention Moberly, Mo., were struck by the crane of forehead and Busch in the back. Artie Hudson, a farmer from Bellwood, Neb., was Dispatches from Che-Foo report that a struck in the face by a heavy piece of wire.

W. BOURKE COCKRAN SEES DAN-GER IN OUR DIVORCE SYSTEM.

He Thinks Big Fortunes Are a Blessing, and Says the Labor Problem Is Being Solved.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12 .- In an address before the Knights of Columbus, gathered in Carnegie Hall to celebrate the anniversary of America's discovery, W. Bourke Cockran reviewed the march of civilizascention and declared that the only blot to of the British government will be refused be seen at the present day is the divorce practice. The great private fortunes he considered to be of value to the Nation. while the labor problem, he said, is only a step in the march of progress.

"There has been growth," he said, "since the beginning of the world. Progress is the law of the universe, and the nations who came before this one, the men who lived and accomplished things before Columbus were simply the links in a chain which has not yet been completed. When we know that this work is all for mankind, then we can understand that this was mission of commerce and religion, and that mission marked the dawn of justice. The present condition of society here is full

We have the greatest fortunes of the earth-greater than Roman ever dared dream of-and though philosophers say that where wealth accumulates men decay. I see no cause for despair. When a large fortune is not gained by fraud or manipula tion of the laws, then it can be but a boon ated more recently by the unfounded ru- to the Nation. My neighbor's prosperity increases my own and that of the earth. nents in certain quarters, but in his judg- | Nor do modern fortunes tend to the increase gent the intelligent section of the Japan- of luxury. On the contrary, men become more self-denying. I see no sign of decay offected up to the present juncture, as in the human race here. The labor question is in process of solution, and every row Jesse Lafollette and Charles Fox will close is a step towards this. A laborer cannot apan and Russia and that they have been | get more pay than the value of his product, for then the product ceases to be made. Nor inderstanding between them. For his own can he get much less, because of the element of competition. The laborer of to-day is not a servant, but a partner of his employer, and their good rests in a mutual

"But the blot I see upon our civilization is the increasing number of divorce. In the with reasonable prospect for a result hon- ancient state the supreme importance of life was to increase the importance of the state. To-day the end of life is the individual good. But the individual good lies in the prosperity of the family, and it is at this that the divorce strikes. If not will destroy the family. remedy to this, as I see it, is to realize that matrimony is a state, not a contract, and divorce must be stopped. Divorce strikes at the virtue of our women, and this virtue is what preserves the state. Divorce is the one foul growth upon our and upon its riddauce depends the fate of our future. If we are to choose between divorces and polygamy, give us CONTINUED ON PAGE 4, COL. 6.) | polygamy."

A WORD TO THE FAITHFUL:

Go not to the right, Nor go to the left,



HENRY N. SPAAN ARGUES THE IN-VIOLABILITY OF LYNCHEHAUN.

The Crime Was a Political Offense, Growing Out of Smothered Rebellion, Spaan Declares.

The peculiar official explanation of the of the Missouri Pacific train says that he FOX ARGUES FOR THE CROWN

NEW YORK LAWYER CONTENDS OF-FENSE WAS PRIVATE CRIME.

Argument Will Be Finished To-Day, and Case Will Go to Commissioner

Moores for Decision.

The fate of James Lynchehaun, Irish still hangs in the balance. The entire day was used up yesterday in closing arguments by counsel on behalf of the crown and in defense of the refugee, and at

o'clock United States Commissioner Charles W. Moores adjourned court until 10 o'clock this morning. In all probability the closing arguments on both sides will be completed to-day and the case will go to the commissioner for his decision. This will not be rendered for several days, as the nature of the case and the cleseness of the legal points will necessitate a most careful review of the law and the evidence.

The fate of Lynchehaun depends on whether the court will decide that his crime was a political offense or a criminal act resulting from private animosity. In the event that the former is held, the petition on the basis of treaty and international law precedents. In the event of the latter being held to be the case the man will probably be sent back to England. Around this contantion raged the argument of distinguished counsel yesterday, the demarkation being as strong as the learning and shrewdness of the opposing lawyers could

ARGUMENT FOR THE CROWN. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning Charles Fox, of New York, on behalf of the British government, began his argument before the commissioner. His was an able effort, having to do with an unsentimental and a more or less unpopular side of the question. Just before noon Henry N. Spaan, for the defense, entered upon what is recognized as the most powerful address of his career. At about 5 o'clock he closed and the commissioner adjourned court. At 10 o'clock this morning Addison C. Harris, in behalf of Lynchehaun, will make the closing argument for his side, and in the afternoon their presentation for the crown.

Attorney Fox, in declaring that Lynchehaun's crime was not a political one. charged that the real issue had been befogged. He referred to the brilliant work of Prof. Moore on the subject of extradition, which holds that the question as to whether a man shall be surrendered to a foreign country for a political crime does not concern the judicial department, but is for the executive to determine. Mr. Fox asserted that a political crime is one that grows out of a political disturbance, and has designs on the government, or foments an insurrection. He held that burning of houses, clipping of cows' tails and similar depredations were not overt acts of revolution, but crimes prompted by personal

Attorney Fox charged that Lynchehaun had perjured himself in the Federal Court when he swore that he was Thomas Walsh and then admitted in the present examina-CONTINUED ON PAGE 9, COL. 3.3

"CHIMNEY BUTTE" SOLD.

Ranch Where President Roosevelt Wrote Some of His Stories.

BISMARCK, N. D., Oct. 12.-The old "Chimney Butte" ranch, made famous as the ranch established by President Theodore Roosevelt when he was a Bad Lands cattleman, has been sold by the Northern Pacific to Ferris Bros., of Medora. It was at this ranch that President Roosevelt wrote some of his entertaining Western sketches. Subsequently he located another ranch at the Elkhorn, forty miles south of Medora, and from there he outfitted for many of his

WHOLE POPULATION OF CARTHAGE HELPING A CANNING FACTORY.

Crop So Large that Sufficient Help Could Not Be Hired to Care for It -A Female Grafter.

Special to the Indianapolis. Journal. CARTHAGE, Ind., Oct. 12.-Owing to the mmense quantity of raw tomatoes on hand and the inability to secure peelers the man-

agement of the canning factory made speclal offers to the women's aid societies of the churches to aid in the work. Last week they responded, but not in sufficient numbers to relieve the situation. To-night the business men with their clerks and professional and society men and women went to the rescue and with other peelers who are coming from a distance it is hoped the surplus stock will soon be disposed of. Since the factory began operations it has been handlcapped by lack of help.

COMELY FEMALE "GRAFTER." She Secures a Goodly Sum from the Merchants of Kokomo.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. KOKOMO, Ind., Oct. 12.-The recent action of the Markland-avenue Methodist Church women in peeling tomatoes at a canning factory for the benefit of the church fund and the notoriety given thereto attracted a female "grafter" from somewhere to-day. She was a comely maid and very attractive. She visited nearly all the business houses soliciting aid for the Markland-avenue Church. She obtained from one to five dollars from each merchant. The case was reported to the officers, but

UNION VETERANS' LEGION.

the wary dame has not been located. She

took in about one hundred dollars.

Delegates to the National Convention Arriving at Dayton.

DAYTON, O., Oct. 12 .- Delegates to the national convention of the Union Veterans' Legion arrived to-day. Social sessions were held this evening. Twenty-five thousand visltors and six hundred delegates are expected during the convention. George W. Spahr, national commander, and B. W. Sullivan, adjutant general, of Indianapolis, arrived this afternoon and opened headquarters in the Phillips House. The city is gaily decorated to welcome the scarred soldiers, and flags are flying in profusion.

Union Veterans' Union. LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 12.-Many veter-

ans who fought for the preservation of the Union during the civil war arrived in nineteenth annual encampment of the Union Veterans' Union, or, as it has now come to be familiarly known, the "battlemen's division." The national staff, consisting of Gen. Robert St. George Dreyen-furth, Washington, commander-in-chief; General French, Massachusetts; Gen. J. J. morning. They went to the Galt House, where national headquarters has been es-

WALKER HAS \$2,000 OF BOOKWAL TER MONEY ON HIS BOARD.

At a Late Hour There Was but \$7 of Holtzman Money Posted at His Washington-Street Place.

PEELING TOMATOES SOME AT THE OTHER PLACES

DEMOCRATS BACKWARD IN PARTING WITH THEIR CASH.

In Many Instances Prohibitive Odds Are Demanded-More Betting Looked for To-Day.

The betting of the last day and night pefore the election was unusually and surprisingly light. The only reason ascribed WATERS ARE RECEDING for this fact was that there was practically no Holtzman money in evidence. A few bettors looking for the short end of a proposition took some of the 2 to 1 Book- RAILWAYS RESUMING FULL OPERAwalter bets, but on the whole the betting was pronounced by the men in charge of the boards, to have been the lightest for

Practically an unlimited amount of Bookwalter money was in sight at the prevaiiing odds of 7 to 5. Harry Walker, who has a board in his place on Washington street, said that he could cover almost any amount of Holtzman money at those odds. The Bookwalter money was slow in coming out at 2 to 1, but in spite of the reluctance of the Republican bettors to give any larger odds than were absolutely necessary, a number of wagers at 2 to 1 were laid.

When it came to the smaller sums, ranging from \$100 down, a few bets were devastation. recorded at 12 to 10 and one or two at even money in sight even at such prices, and were insisting on at least 2 to 1, and even at that they were not anxious to post were Bookwalter propositions, and the Holtzman money that was put up at 2 to 1 was snapped up by disgusted Republicans who abandoned hope of getting anything

\$2,000 OF BOOKWALTER MONEY. At midnight last night Harry Walker had \$2,000 of Bookwalter money posted that was going begging at 7 to 5. He had but \$75 of Holtzman money, and that was asking 2 to 1. Walker said he could cover any amount of Holtzman money at 7 to 5. The conditions at Tron's and the Denison were the same-plenty of Bookwalter money at 7 to 5 and almost no Holtzman money, except a few small bets asking al-A few of the Democratic propositions post-

ed were on the size of Holtzman's plurality. but the odds were prohibitive. For instance, there were several Democratic offers of \$10 to \$30 that Holtzman would have 1,000 plurality, and others along up the line to \$10 to \$70 that the Democratic candidate would have 2,000 plurality. A few of these bets were taken, but few of the sporting fraternity were inclined to place their money at such odds, even if they felt they had a George Hitz, the Prohibition candidate,

E. Newlin, the Prohibition chairman, other roads. frantic had he seen them. For instance, at one time during the evening there were bets on every board in the city of even money that Hitz would not carry a precinct in the city, and there was any amount of money at Bogia, quartermaster general, arrived this even that he would not carry a ward. One or two of the small bets that Hitz would not carry a precinct were taken by spe lined, optimistic persons, who felf that I tendance upon him.

out of the 237 precincts in the city Hitz might at least pull through with his own

SOME BETTING TO-DAY. . It is thought there may be some little betting to-day and to-night, although the men in charge of the various boards say they do not expect to handle much more money. The confidence of the Democratic bettors seems to have oozed out of their finger tips within the last twenty-four hours, and it is hardly ble that it will return unless the early recurns to-night should be of a character to

A significant feature of the betting that has been done is the number of bets on Bookwalter at the prevailing odds that have been made by Democrats. Democrats heretofore close in touch with party affairs, but on the outside now that Keach is in control of the organization, were the most confident of those who posted money on the Repub-lican candidate.

FIGHT BETWEEN POLICE AND AN-ARCHISTS AT SAN JUAN.

Forty Arrests Made and Some of the "Reds" Sentenced to Prison-Carried the Emblem of Anarchy.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Oct. 12 .- Governor Hunt returned here this afternoon from Ponce, where he attended a banquet in celebration of the extension of American residents in the islands. He was everywhere received with demonstration of confidence and esteem.

During the Governor's absence the anti-American Socialists and Anarchists had a clash with the police on the plaza of this city. Forty arrests were made and many of the prisoners were to-day convicted and sentenced to six months' imprisonment, including the Anarchist Conde, who was recently convicted of insulting the American flag. The clash was due to the Socialists, who attacked the police. The latter ordered the mob to disperse and on meeting with a refusal, they used their clubs freely. Americans here are particularly incensed at the carrying of black and red flags and

a craped American flag by a mob yesterday as an incitement to disorder. Conde delivered a very offensive harangue, in which he approved of the mob resorting to bloodshed if necessary. The Americans de-mand the punishment of all the dangerous Socialists and are overwhelming Governor Hunt with assurances of support in a vigorous campaign to uphold law and order. They urge that an immediate death blow be given anarchy here. The city to-day is quiet. More of the men arrested for attacking the police will

be tried to-morrow. SLAIN IN EDITOR'S ROOM

ELIZA PAPESCO, A ROUMANIAN SINGER, KILLED AT PARIS.

Mystery That Resembles the Case of Mrs. Ellen Gore, Who Was Killed

in an Artist's Apartments.

PARIS, Oct. 12.-The mysterious shooting of the Roumanian singer, Eliza Papesco, at the hotel Regina here, where many Americans stop and is the center of a fashionable quarter of Paris, resembles in its essential features the case of Mrs. Ellen Gore, the American woman who was killed the Russian singer, in November last. Frederick Grietgling, editor of an art paper, reported to the hotel clerk on Saturday that a young woman had killed her-

self in his room, and investigation showed that the dead woman was Eliza Papesco. When the body was examined by a physician to-day a bullet wound was discovered in the base of her skull and another wound was found in her temple. The latter caused the woman's death. The physician declared it was impossible for the woman to have inflicted the wound at the base of her skull. Grietgling is held on the charge of murder. According to Gina Papesco, sister of the dead woman, Grietgling proposed marriage to Eliza, claiming that he was rich and saying he was opposed to her going to Mayor Bookwalter has made his personal-Bucharest to fill an engagement at the Royal Theater there. It is said that while at Aix-les-Bains recently, Grietgling became acquainted with Eugenia Fougere, the demi-mondaine who was murdered in her villa there Sept. 18 under mysterious circumstances.

TION IN EASTERN STATES.

Damage at Paterson and Passaic N. J., Now Estimated at a Total of Four Million Dollars.

NEW YORK, Oct. 12 .- With the receding of the floods reported to-day from all quarters. Paterson, Passaic and the other water-swept New Jersey towns are re-

lieved of further peril and are beginning

In Paterson alone the damage to property is estimated at \$2,000,000 without taking account of the loss in wages to the that in evidence came from "pikers," to thousands who have been temporarily deadopt the vernacular of the profession. The prived of occupation by the shutting down Democrats who had money in any amount of factories. To-night the water was reported to have fallen four feet below the highest mark and the only possible source their money. Practically all bets posted of damage would be the bursting of the great water mains which were undermined by the flood. The distress continues great,

> ported throughout the day. at least equal to that in Paterson, Many adjacent villages still were under water today, but with the falling of the waters all danger of a collapse of the great Dundee

dam was declared to be past. The Ramapo river, after rising higher show, and sweeping away many small dams, several bridges and houses and a section of the Eric Railroad track, near "Bet Tuxedo Park, N. Y., is now slowly subsiding, and to-night the Tuxedo which it was feared could not withstand the flood, is considered safe. So far as known only two lives were lost. George Nixon and a companion, employed on E. H. Harriman's estate at Arden, when driving home from Central Valley, were overtaken

by the flood and drowned Traffic was resumed during the day on all the railroad lines entering New York with the exception of the local service on the main line of the Erie. The milk famine in the city was broken by the arrival of the cut little figure in the betting, and a few of usual number of milk trains on the West the propositions offered would have driven Shore, New York Central, Lackawanna and

Archbishop Kain Dying.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 12.—Archbishop John Joseph Kain, of St. Louis, who is a patient at St. Agnes Sanitarium, was reported at death is expected any hour by those in at-

CLOSE OF ONE OF THE BITTEREST CONTESTS CITY HAS KNOWN.

Mayor Bookwalter and Chairman Logsdon Express Entire Confidence in the Result.

KEACH'S HALF-HEARTED TALK

DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN DOESN'T APPEAR TO BE OPTIMISTIC.

C. E. Newlin, Prohibition Chairman, Has, However, Enough Optimism

for All Hands.

MR. J. M. ALEXANDER'S LETTER

DRIVEN TO SUPPORT OF BOOKWAL-TER BY NEWS'S COURSE.

Rev. Marion Crosley Also Objects to News's Slanderous Campaign-Late Political News.

The Journal will to-night display election returns by stereopticon in front of the office in Monument place. Returns will

be secured promptly from the election bureau. Vote Early. The polls will be opened at 6 o'clock this morning, and will be closed at 6 o'clock this

evening. Many of the precincts are large.

The Republican party workers admonish all voters to go to the polls early. The most hotly contested municipal campaign in the history of Indianapolis will be rounded out with the election to-day, at which the voters will, according to the Republican leaders, either "Stand up for Indianapolis, or lie down for the Indianapolis News." The Republican leaders be-

lieve that the voters will "stand up for Indianapolis." "I have every confidence that the verdict of the people will be overwhelmingly in our favor," said Mayor Bookwalter last evening. "In fact, I was never so confident of success as I am at this moment. We have had a hard campaign, and it has had its unpleasant features, but I have run on my record, with the Indianapolis News as the issue, and I have never dodged my record, nor permitted the News to dodge the issue. It is up to the people, and I firmly believe-

it is even stronger than a belief; it is my conviction-that the people are with us." In truth, the very atmosphere about the suite of rooms on the third floor of the Denison, where the men who are directing the Republican campaign have made their headquarters during the past few days. instilled similar confidence in all callers, in the apartments of Jean De Rydzewiski, Victory was in the air, and there was nothing half-hearted about the optimism of

> any of the leaders. BELIEVES IN VICTORY. "I don't care to give any figures, or to go into details as to why I believe as I do." said Chairman Edwin D. Logsdon, "but I feel absolutely sure that victory will be with us to-morrow. The organization was never so complete nor so effective; the party workers were never so willing and anxious to do everything in their power, and there has never been a fight when all the workers were so confident. The personality of a candidate was never felt as

> ity felt, and we have gained every day for the past ten weeks. "Republicans are Republicans when it comes right down to the polls, and the Republicans of Indianapolis are not going to turn the city over to the Democrats just assist a newspaper in venting its spite

The others about headquarters were

equally confident, but a more tangible evidence of their confidence lay in the fact that they were sending large sums of money into the poolrooms to be posted on Mayor Bookwalter at the odds of 100 to 70. or at the best odds they could secure. About Democratic headquarters the air of confidence was noticeably artificial. The leaders talked confidently, but they were not convincing. Chairman James L. Keach gave out a statement vesterday afternoon which, he said last night, he had no reason

to change. He said:

its work honestly and see that no frauds are allowed to be worked in the election. I stand by my declaration that in a fair election Mr. Holtzman will receive a majoricy of all the votes cast and that Bockwalter's vote will not exceed 15,000. And the election will be fair, too. Mr. Holtzman, the Democratic candidate, had no statement to make, he said, other

"I am relying on my organization to do

than an expression of his confidence that now to get a clear idea of the extent of the he would be elected. Reading between the lines of Chairman Keach's statement, it is seen that he does not expect to defeat Mayor Bookwalter and that he does expect to set up a cry of terday afternoon and last night-that the Democratic organization and the Indianpolis News have imported a force of

fraud as soon as the result is known. In the last sentence of his statement, too, there is apparent the confirmation of a report that gained general circulation yes-Pinkerton detectives to watch about the olls to-day for a chance to pick up an election official or Republican worker on a charge of fraud. This story could not be traced to its source, and no one could be found to stand sponsor for it, but I and to-night fully 500 persons were still was going the rounds of the hotels and compelled to seek food and shelter in the downtown places where men congregated last night. The closing sentence of Chairarmory. No additional fatalities were reman Keach's statement, "And the election will be fair, too," is suggestive of a threat In Passaic the damage is estimated to be | that the Democrats have a trump card, such as the Pinkertons, to play to-day. NEWLIN IS OPTIMISTIC.

Charles E. Newlin, chairman of the Prohibition committee and the manager of George Hitz's campaign, is nothing if than ever before, so far as existing records | not optimistic. His statement is as fol-

"Between twenty-five and thirty thousand oters of Indianapolis have said they wished George Hitz to be elected mayor Oct. 13. Mr. Holtzman will likely get about fifteen housand votes. I cannot figure out that Mr. Bookwalter can possibly get over eighteen thousand. In a campaign like this the stay-at-home vote will surely not be large enough among the remaining voters to defeat George Hitz. The politicians are against him, but the people are with him, and we feel very confident of his election." Chairman Newlin persisted in his optimism even after he was told that bets were posted on several boards of even money that Hits will not carry a precinct, and that there were no takers for the bets.

Dr. Henry W. Ridpath, the chairman of the anti-Bookwalter organization, statement through the columns of the auti-Bookwalter organ that was at once another long arraignment of Mayor Bookwalter and prediction that Holtzman will be elected by a large plurality. All the workers of all parties turned in at an early hour last night in order that they CONTINUED ON PAGE & COL L